HONGKONG, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1891.

AGENTS FOR THE OHINA MAIL

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Hongkong, August 27, 1891.

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intimations.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

MIHE Annual General MEETING of the above CLUB will be held in the Ciry HALL on FRIDAY, the 2nd October prox.,

T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, September 18, 1891.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICES, on SATURDAY, the 26th Inst., at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1891. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 26th

September, both days inclusive. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hougkong, September 14, 1891. 1778 THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EX IN TRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICES of Messra. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & T. E. Davies, Esq. Alex. McConschie, Co., No. 6, Ice House Lune, on SATUR-DAY, 26th Instant, at 12.30 p.m., for the H. Hoppius, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Esq. purpose of Confirming the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 10th Instant, viz.;-

That the Company be wound-up voluntarily, and that JOHN WHEELEY of Hongkong be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part and The Hongkong Borneo Company, Ltd., of the other part be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to enter into an Agreement with such New Company (when incorporated) in the the same into effect.

ceeded with and exercised under the dinance No. 1 of 1865 of the Ordin Continental languages are spoken. auces of Hongkong.

By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hougkong, September 10, 1891. 1755 A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

Head Office......40, Threadneodle Street. | NOTICE is hereby given, that ALL 885 SYPHONS bearing the Company's Name and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person or Persons other than the Customers of the Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against as the law directs.

A. H. MANCELL, Secretary. Hongkoug, August 18, 1891. In the Matter of the COMPANIES

ORDINANCE of 1865, In the Matter of A. G. GORDON & &c., &c. COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is, hereby given, That the OREDITORS of the above named Company are r quired, on or before the 4TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1891, to send their Names and Addresses, and the Particulars of DEBTS or CLAIMS and the Names and Addresses of their Solicitors if any, to the Undersigned, ALEXANDER GRANT GORDON, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, the LIQUIDATOR of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing by the Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said Debts or Claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in dofault thereof they will be excluded from

such Debts are proved. Dated the 24th day of August, 1891. A. G. GORDON, Liquidator.



CALDBECK, MACGREGOR

Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, Queen's Road. Hongkong, August 18, 1891.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

NOTICE. Chow Tune Shang, During this and next month members are recommended to practise at the 200, 500 and 600 yards ranges Bisley rules; QUAN Hor CHUEN, and 7 rounds and one sighting shot at each distance. It is desired that all Scores made be sent in to the Secretary. A prize will be given to the compiler of the highest

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Hongkong, August 6, 1891. THE BATHS OF TAKARADZUDA. NEAE KOBE, JAPAN, ere found very beneficial in cases of liver, rhenmatic and allied affections, nervous disorders and indigestion. The Water belongs to the category of

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Hongkong, September 16, 1891.

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Hougkong, June 4, 1891.

Intimations. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE. A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of

A the Hongkong Jockey Club he d in the City Hall on FRIDAY, the 11 h September instant, the following Special Resolution was submitted to the Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club and passed nem. That Mr Robert Fraser Smith shall be "expelled from the Hongkong Jockey

"Club under Rule 40." An EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING of the HONGKONG JOCKEY 'Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and CLUB to Confirm the above Special Resolution will be held in the CITY HALL on SATURDAY, the 26th September instant,

By Order of the Stewards, T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, September 12, 1891.

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Intimations.

HONGKONG St. ANDREW'S SOCIETY. I THE Annual General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the above Society will be held in the Ciry Hall on WEDNES-DAY, the 23rd Instant, at 5 o'Clock. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, September 15, 1891. 1780 MAC'S AINE

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the Goods of DAVID McCULLOCH, late of Victoria, Hongkong, Mercan-TILE ASSISTANT, Deceased.

made by the Honourable Sir James Russell, kong, limiting the time for Creditors and date all Claims must be proved. All Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate are requested to make immediate

Dated this 1 th day of S. ptember, 1891. WOTTON & DEACON, 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

HONGKONG.

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virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 18 0, made an Order limiting to the 3 sr October, 1891, the time for sending in CaAlMS against the said Es ate.

in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated the 4th September, 1891.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. SUIT No. 48 or 1891.

In the Matter of the Estate of ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Deceased.

SYLVIA MARIA DOS REMEDIOS AND ANTONIO RUGO DOS RE-MEDIOS, the Administratrix and

virtue of Ordinance No. 9 of 1879, Section 3, made an Order limiting to the 14th November, 1891, the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate,

immediate Payment. Dated this 14th day of September, 1891. WOTTON & DEACON

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Unitersigned is requested, when immediate et ps will be taken to rectify the cause of dusatisfaction.

Hongkong, Angust 25, 1885, PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. MRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS, at Kowloon, Victoria View.

Hongkong, July 13, 1891. Notices of Firms.

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MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, August 6, 1891.

日七十月八年卯辛

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

ATOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, Section 3, an Order has been Knight, C.M.G., Chief Justice of Hongothers to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate, to the Undersigned, or to JAMES HENRY Cox, Administrator, to the Lathes. Drilling Machines, Planing and 31st December, 1891, on or before which

Solicitors for the said Administ ator.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

In the Matter of the Estate of THOMAS GOVAN LAMONT, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong,

All Creditors are heroby required to send

BRUCE SHEPHERD. Acting Registrar.

HONGKONG.

Administrator of the above-named Deceased - Defendants. NTOTICE is hereby given that the Hon- 12 Pairs of Pedestal Brasses bored and curable the Chief Justice having in

All Creditors are hereby required to send | 100 feet of Belting for driving machine. in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said date, and all Persons INDEBTED A sundry lot of Tools. to the said ketate are requested to make I Rotary Pump to supply 400 gallons per

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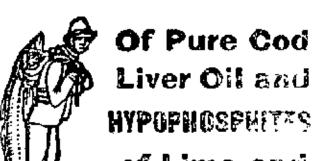
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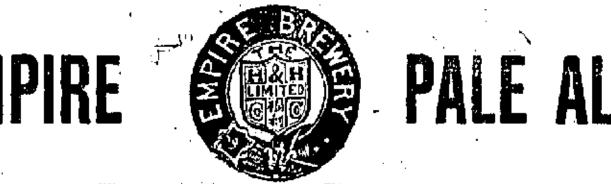
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Dod well, Carlill & Co. About Sept. 23. O. & O. S. S. O |Sept. 26, at 1 p.m. S. Francisco, v. Japan City of Riode Janeiro (a) Pacific Mail S. S. Co., Oct. 8, at 1 p.m. Siemssen & Co......Sept. 21, at 4 p.m. Butterfield & Swire . September 20. P. & O. S. N. Co..... Sept. 23, at noon. D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Sept. 21, at noon. Douglas Lapraik & Co. Sept. 20, daylight. Douglas Lapraik & Co. Sept. 22, at noon. Gibb, Livingston & Co. Sept. 26, at 4 p.m. Vancouver (B.C.), & : Empress of India (s)... Canadian Pinc R. Co., Sept. 22, at noon.

.. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Sept. 20.

Arnhold, Karberg &Co. About Sept. 22.

Messageries Maritimes Sept. 23, at noon.

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Fer Nizam, at 19.30 a.m., on Wedner

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL.

The British Contract Packet Empress of

11 30 a.m. Post-Office closes, but Corres-

extra Postage, until time of departure.

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will be despatched on WEDNESDAY.

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yond, via Marwilles; to Sargon, Straits

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Madras, the Australasian Colonies,

Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt,

The usual hours was be observed in a

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. --

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The German Contract Packet Darmstadt will

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Inst., with Mails for the United King-

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vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settle-

ments, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

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11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

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by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet,

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their Stamps by writing the word Stamped

across them. Covers containing Bank

Notes, &c. should be registered.

11.30 s.m. and 3.30 p.m.

o 12 and 4 o'clock.

(Prices Current and Circulars may

if they are tied in bundles, country

by country, with the addresses all

will be closed at 5 the day before.

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes.

Books, and Patterns ceases.

Circulars ceases.

The following hours will be observed in

beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C.

MALLN by too. French Packet.--

Malta, and Gibraltar.

closing the Mails, A.

closed as follows: --

Registry coases at 1.45 p.m.

Hegistry ceases.

India will be despatched on TUES.

DAY, the 22nd Instant, with Mails for

States of America, and countries

MAILS will close:—

the 22nd inst.

WAY CO. 'S PACKET. -

losing the Mails, &c -

11.15 a.m. Regis ry closes.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY

day, the 23rd inst.

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To-day's Advertisements.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

September 18, 1891 Activ, Danish steamer, 385, H. Hygom, Quinhon September 12, and Touron 14, General. - Armhord, Karbero & Co.

September 19 Kwang Lee, Chinese str., 1,508, R. L. Lincoln, Shanghai September 15, General.

-C. M. S. N. Co, Delta, French steamer, 717, Abbal, Haiphong Sept. 14, General, - MESSAGERIES

Palamed, British steamer, 1,489, C. Jack-Captain R. Köhler, will son, Liverpool August 7, and Singapore September 13, General. - Burrerfield &

Triumph, Germansteamer, 675, J. Bruhn, Pakhoi and Hothow September 17, General. | 0.30 P.M. | Post Office closes, but Corres--Eduard Schellhass & Co. Swalow, German steamer, 631, C. Binge,

Newchwang Sept. 13, Beans, - MELCHERS

MAIL8 by the German Packet.lue

DEPARTURES September 19:-

Chow Fa, for Bangkok. Presto, for Hollow. Thales, for Swatow. Aulaia, for Singapore and Hamburg Vingpo, for Shanghai. Toonan, for Shanghai. Triumph, for Canton. Ancona, for Yokohama. Lightning, for Singapore and Calcutta. Kwang Lee, for Canton.

CLEARED Taivick, for Chefoo. Zebina Goudey, for Victoria, B.C. Cosmopolit, for Touron.

Martha, for Batavia. Namoa, for Swatow. Camelot, for Singapore. Telamon, for Shanghai. Glenfalloch, for Singapore and London

> PASSENGERS. " ARRIVED.

Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, 65 Chi-

Per Palamed, from Liverpool, Mr and Mrs Lewis and 3 children, Misses Madden and Mathews, and 126 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Rer Ningpo, for Shanghai, 8 Chinese. Per Chow Fa, for Bangkok, 150 Chinese. Per Bresto, for Heihow, 1 European, and 30 Chinese. Per Thales, for Swatow, 120 Chinese.

Per Aylana, for Singapure, 12 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Chinese steamer Kwang Lee reports: Light to moderate N. E. and Easterly winds and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Palamed reports: Left Singapore 13th September, moderate wind and confused sea.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BUMBAY.

i'er Thisbe, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 21st inst. For SWATOW & AMOY .--Per Borneo, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 21st inst., instead of as pre-

viously notified For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Don Juan, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 21st inst., instead of as previous. ly notified.

For BANGKOK.— Per Loo Sok, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 22nd inst.

Kowloon are requested to cancel their &c. abould be registered. There will be no Sunday delivery.

Local rates will be charged.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight. -Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. Telamon leaves for Shaughai, &c.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

Noon .- Thisbe leaves for Bombay, &c. 4 p.m. - Ningpo leaves for Shanghai.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m. -Auction of Machinery, Plant and Stock-in-Trade, at Messrs A. G. Gordon & Co., Bowrington Foundry,

East Point. General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, September 23:-5 p.m.-Meeting of H.K. St. Andrew's

Society. SATURDAY, September 26 :-11.30 a.m. Meeting of Shareholders of The Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.

12.3) p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The China-Borneo Co., Ltd., at No. 6, Ice House Lane: Jockey Clab in the City Hall.

Wednesday, September 30:--Statement of Business with the Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., to be sent in before this date. FRIDAY, October 4 p.m. - Annual Meeting of Hongkong

Jockey Club in the City Hall. A. S. WATSON & Co.,

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Hougkong, September 17, 1891.

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The China Muil.

HONGKONO, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1893 TELEGRAMS.

[Supplied to the 'China Mail."] (Via Southern Line.)

SOUTHERN RUSSIA. London, September 17.

for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or A reign of terror has arisen at Elizabeto pol. Starving beggars turned brigands have Departure. With regard to letters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been been guilty of wholesale atrocities, outrag affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Gap, ing women and murdering entire families. [Elizabetopol is the most Southern province of Trans-Caucasia and borders on Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday Asia Minor and Persia. - ED. C.M.] delivery. Senders are requested to cancel

THE Tanyang Roman Catholic claims amount to 8,400 taels, to be paid in in Letters Parcels, &c.. for Kowloon stalments by the Chinese authorities. The Point and steamers in Harbour may be indemnity for the churches destroyed posted in the General Post Office up to Yanghu and Kinkwei is \$66,000, which the native officials have decided to pay. For Letters from Kowloon Point may be the chapel burnt at Chic chuan, in the posted in the Letter Box which has been district of Kuangtehchow, the magistrate placed in the Police Station Compound up proposed to decapitate two principal offenders, punish the rest severely and pay the sum of \$1,500. The missionary was willing To avoid robbery, senders of letters from to accept the proposal, though he claimed that the money compensation did not cover stamps by writing the word stamped across the damage done. A dinner was given Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery arrangement arrived at. The City Com-

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUEZ CANAL

COTWARD BOUND :- Glaucus, Moldava July ,17; Jordan, 21; Armenia, 24; Gledhow, 31; Heotor, August Cyclops, 11; Kotic, August 21; Betterophon, Benledi, Kaisow, Ethiops, September 1; Anchises, Breconshire Strathleven. Connemara, Esang. Bayern, Polyhymma, 8.

HOMEWARD BOUND :-Altonower, Aug. 11 Benvenue. 18; Beatrice, 21; Ajux, Ping suey. Euphrates, 28; Agamemnon, Sept. Glenavon, Benalder, Salozie, 8.

The M. M. Co.'s steamship Oxus, with the French Mail of August 21st, 'left Singap re on Tuesday, the 15th Sept. at 7 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 22nd Sept. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hengkong on July

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's steamer Empress of Japan left Vancou ver for Yosohama, Shanghai and trongkong on Sept. 10, and may be expected here on or about the 1st Oct.

4 p.m.-Meeting of Members of H.K. The China Shippers M. Co.'s s. s. Hampshire, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore for this port on the 13th Sept., and may be expected here on or about the 19th cept.

> The Glen Line steamship Glencarn, from London, left Singapore on 15th Sept., and may be expected here on or about the 21st Sept. The Shire Line s. s. Carmarthe shire, from

London, &c., left Singapore on the 16th Sept., and may be expected here on or about the 22nd Sept. gapore on the 17th Sept., and may be

on September 17, and may be expected here on or about 23rd Sept.

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The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Teheran left Bombay on Sept. 12th for this port. for this port on 28th Aug.

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL. XVII SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY. Matina :-- Venite, Turner ; Psalms, Wesley, Ouseley; To Deum & Jubilate, W. T. Bost, No. 150; Anthem, 26, 'Lord, for thy tender mercies' sake

tory, 386. Evensong: -- Psalms, Old Melody, Travers; Magnificat, Barnby; Nunc Dimittis.

UNION CHURCH. SERVICES 11 A.M. AND P. M. - SUNDAY 20TH. Forenoon service :- Hymn, 216; Psalm, Danby said he calculated that there were a should be conducted with the strict-No. 48, Chant 'Soaper ;' Anthem, No. 20, What are these; Hymn, No. 280, lune ' Mount of Olives ; Hymn,

THE S. S. Riversdale went into dock this

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHUECH. - The Mission Steam Launch Dayspring will call alongside vessels hoisting Code Penant C between 9 and 10.30 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to the 11 o'clock service. Returning about 12 30.

We regret to hear that a telegram was received yesterday from London, announcing the death of Captain Robert Talbot, late of the China and Manila Steam Navigation Company and for several years master of the s. s. Zafiro, which he brought out from Aberdeen. Capt. Talkot left Hongkong a few months ago in broken health.

Wing Hong, shop-keeper, whose establish ment is at 68 Queen's Road Central, was Sold in Tins containing 10lb each...\$1.50. | fined \$10 by Mr Wise to-day for having in stock three umbrellas with swords in the handles. He said the European agent through whom he got the goods, assured him that these things did not come under the arms ordinance.

> THREE cooks and a coolie were brought be fore Mr Wise to-day charged with dealing in tsz-fa lottery tickets at No. 1 Pedder's Hill. Inspector Kemp visited the place last night and found the tsz-fa business being carried on in a cookhouse. The cickets were thrust into the fire when the Inspector appeared and one of the defendants tried to create a diversion by telling his master that the police were spoiling his dinner. His Worship convicted this man and fined him \$25.

A MAN who gave his name as Joseph von Ulrich was brought before Mr Wise to-day at the instance of the Hongkong Trading Co. for obtaining divers goods by throwing dust in the eyes of the astute heads of departments in the company's employ. C. J. Stewart, Secretary of the Company, the defendant came to the store on the 9th inst, and made certain representations on the str ngth of which certain goods were the effect that while they might be exgiven to him. The goods supplied consisted of a pair of slippers and a riding cost. C. Manning, manager of the tailoring de- it be decided the British Chinamen have with the Borneo Government buttons on kong. Hongkong naturalised Chinamen it. He mentioned the name of a customer are only British subjects within the colony at Sandakan who he said was coming here in a month when they were going to Japan together. On the strength of these representations he got clothing of the value 834. The case was remanded for a week.

vernment, appears to have been taken up for a lengthy period; she was painted 'rebeing engaged. In case she has to stand will probably remain a fixture there until still falling. The Customs cruiser Lingfeng, ed,—Manghai Mercury.

A SOMEWHAT important question with refer- A STRANCE epidemic is rife in Nanking. ence to the right of the Surveyor General Those attacked by it find their limbs drawn to obstruct the public streets was raised up, their backs covered with red spots, and before Mr Wise at the Magistracy this their tongues swellen. Then follows morning. Chan Atong, a contractor resid- giddiness, which gradually renders them ing at No. 5 Arsenal Street, was summoned insensible, in which condition they pass at the instance of Messrs David Sassoon | away to the other world. Shen Pao. Sons & Co. for having caused an obstruction on the Prays, in Ico House Street, In Peking every day crowds of carpenters, Queen's Road and Ice House Lane. Mr to the number of several hundreds, have Donnys appeared for the complainant and been gathered, under the pretext of form. 1; Bombay, Diomed, Menelaus, 4; called Messrs Joseph, Stevens, Wieler and ing a trades' union, but really to commit Osborne to prove that the streets in ques- excesses through the force of numbers. tion were ways open and common to all The proprietors and employees of a theatre persons in the colony, that the defendant had a quartel with them, and in a short had placed several hundred large blocks of time the building was surrounded, crowgranite in these streets, that they had been bars and axes were plied by hundreds of there for about two months and that very willing hands, and the theatre was levelled great inconvenience was caused to all per- to the ground. Though the authorities sons passing along in jurickshas or on foot. | punish them severely, these men continue Mr Osborne also stated that he had com- to be as bold as ever. A special memorial plained both to the Police and to the de- is presented requesting that all such riotous fendant but he had been unable to obtain workmen loading on the streets should be any satisfaction. The defendant admitted arrested, and the Throne has sanctioned the obstruction, but said that he had the the request. Strong measures are now permission of the Surveyor General to being taken to enforce order. place the stone where it was and said it was required for a drain he was making for the Government in Ice House Lane. Mr | The Proprietor : Till tell you what it is, Bowdler said the Surveyor General had authorised the defendant to put the stones where they were, and he considered it was a scrap-no notice took of us anywhere necessary to have them there to complete not a bloomin' advertisement! And yet the storm-water drain in Ice House Lane. He considered that they caused very little The se. Wingsung, from Calcutta, left Sin- | inconvenience to the public and the stone in the Queen's Road was on Government | tor : Don't let's throw up the aponge yet, ground. Mr Bowdler further said that the old man. Let's give the dead and a turn Flower The D. D. R. s. s. Frigga left Singapore stone would not have remained there so long but for a misunderstanding between ter General Gordon and Cardinal Newman the head of the Water and Drainsage department and the Surveyor General, The P. & O. steamer Brindisi left London which had delayed the commencement of A sont of modified Farmers Alliance is the storm-water drain until about a fort- gaining considerable headway in Switzernight age. In cross-examination he land. It calls itself an Agrarian League, admitted that the stone could have been and appears to have been evoked by the taken back to the quarries, but that would writings and public appeals of one Gottfried have caused inconvenience and expense to Keller. He is a farmer in the Canton of the contractor. He would not admit Zurich, and makes his war cry, The Land Ky ie, I. Tours; Hymn, 207; Offer. that the stone could be placed on the and the Government for the Farmer! In

misunderstanding between two Government departments as to which work was to sider that the obstruction was in any way necessary to enable the drain in Ice House had probably misunderstood his position he should heagain becharged in connection with the same matter he should inflict the full a der the ordinance. Mr Dennys suggested that the defendant should be informed that he might be committed for trial at the ready to go the whole Socialist figure than Supreme Court, as a public nuisance was an indictable offence at common law; but the Magistrate said he thought if defendant were fined \$100 a day while the nuisance

THE Shanghai Mercury says:-We learn hat Bankow is still in a most excited state over the recent threatened out-break. The French gun-boat spic has gone across to Wuchang, where she now lies with all her guns run out ready to go into action at a !

continued it would probably soon be

moment's notice. THE San Francisco Bulletin says :- Some Chinamen are seeking admission at Portland on the ground that they are British subjects. There has been no formal decision yet as to whether by becoming British subjects they cease to be Chinamen under his recent opinion regarding the place to which smuggled Chinese should be deported, the Attorney-General incidentally touched upon the status of such cases to turned to their adopted country, provided - have been the life and soul of the Shang-H. they could show citizenship there. Should partment, said the defendant got a suit them coming by thousands from Hongthe right of admission, we would soon have of Hongkong.

THE 2nd of the present moon (the 4th inst.) says the Hupao, was the birthday of H.E. Chang Chih-tung, Vicercy of Liang Hu. The night previous to the event, H E. ordered all the yamen doors to be THE S.S. Ella, chartered by the British Go- locked, and when the city officials came next morning to offer their congretadmittance, not an attendent being seen gulation colour, white, immediately after | near the doors, which were strongly secured. The officials had to return whence they came, without attaining their object. N by for any length of time at Ichang, she entertainment was given in the yamen, and everything went on as usual. Next day next spring, there being only 9 feet water H. E. made a return call on the officials off Sunday Island now, and the water is who had taken the trouble to go as far as his front door. The Viceroy is said to the missionary to conclude the amicable owing to her very shallow draught, would heartily detest all these empty ceremonies. be a capital boat to station at Ichang, con- and looks with more favour on a diligent mandant was present at the feativity, sidering her being well armed and equipp- and honest official than one who kotows all day and speaks fine phraces.

VICISSITUDES OF A RISING PERIODICAL. Shardson, I'm getting sick of the 'ole b'oomin' show ! The Knacker sin't selling there ain't' ardly 'a livin' Englishmen of mark, from Tennyson downwards, as we 'aven't shown up and pitched into, and dragged is name in the mud? The Edi--let's have a shy at Thackeray, Browning. George Eliot; or, better still, let's bespata bit—that ought to fetch 'em a few, and bring us into notice. - Punch-

reclaimed ground in front of the Praya, as the course of a summary of his views and even at low tide there was a foot of water demands he says; The State should be, Felton; Hymns, 164, 197, 24 (1st | there. Mr Dennys then put Mr Danby above all things, for the service of agriculinto the box to prove that there was no ture; the universities should be lessennecessity whatever for such a quantity of ed or suppressed and primary educastone to be placed in the atreets. Mr tion simplified: the public service thousand blocks of stone between the est economy; borrowing on mortgage Praya and Ice House Lane, and said that should be on easier terms, and the land if a private individual had been doing should be taxed not on the basis of its assimilar work he would have been compelled sessed value, but on that of the income to supply the stone from the quarries day derived from it; and the exaggerated by day as it was required for the work and claims of workingmen in the cities should. he would not be allowed to stack it in the be combated, particularly in the matter of public streets. Mr Wise said that it was shorter hours of labor. The last epecificafully proved to his satisfaction that tion marks a peculiar, phase of the movea very serious inconvenience was being ment, in its avowed setting the laborer of the caused by the defendant, but after Mr field against the laborer of the shop. The Bowdler's evidence he had no doubt that | League is reported to be spreading rapidly the defendant thought he was authorised. through the rural regions, and has at least The matter appeared to have arisen through | this testimony to its growing strength, that the labor journals are outsopken in hostility to it. But the organ of the farmers -they have one already-accepts this as be carried out first, but he could not con inev table, and as a part of the conflict that is to come, saying: 'We are positive that a deep chasm separates the industrial workingman from the farmer. . . . The Lane to be carried out, and he knew of no latter knews that he gets nothing without authority whatever in the Surveyor Ge- hard work, and it is a mystery to him how the workingman cuts down his hours neral to authorise a serious nuisance of this of work from 12 to 11, to 10, and findescription. As, however, the defendant ally to 8, all the while increasing his wages by means of strikes, and still asking for more. Whatever may be the would only fine him \$ 0 this time, but fate of the Swiss organization, it will serve to call attention to the lengths to which State Socialism has gone in Switzerland, in the interest of the workingmen of fine of \$10) to which defendant was liable the cities and to the oversight of the laboring men in the country districts. It may also have the effect of giving the Catholic authorities pause, and making them less

> FRAGRANT WATERS! MURMUR That the question, whether Shanghai or Hongkong is the healthier place to live

they appeared to be at the time of their

Congress at Olten, last year. - The Nation.

in, has often been discussed. That Shanghaians are quite hot in favour of their Empire City as a rule, although, upon close inquiry, you generally discover they refer chiefly to the enjoyable

life and the pleasant society to be found That Shanghai suffers more severely from typhoid and choleraic seizures than Hongkong, appears to be beyond dispute, although it would perhaps be difficult to explain the relative immunity of Hong-

kong from these evils. the meaning of the Restriction Act. In That the Cricket Teams of Hongkong and Shanghai have had to mourn the death from a choleraic attack, of the Secretary of the Shanghai Cricket cluded, they would have the right to be re- Club, a young geotheran who seems to

> That Mr Woodward had made a brilliant bowling record a week before his seizure. and was struck down a few hours before the Hongkong Team arrived in Shanghal That besides depriving the rival team of one of their best men, the sad death of Mr Woodward would throw a gloom over the festivities of the cricksters from start

> to finish. That the proposal to send a Hongkong crew for four-cars to Kobs has been accepted, and the heart of the veteran Kobe caraman (A. C. Sim) will be gladdened with the sight of a boat from the Colony where he established his fame

That at last a quantity of the Charbonnages Coal has arrived here, and the opportunity of thoroughly testing the product as a steam producing commodity will be afforded

many a year ago.

That I hear the Acting Barkour Master That on the first blush the case which has been laudably active in drawing the Ino between yessels recognised as menof-war and those which are not so recog-

That it cannot be argued that the policy of the Hongkong Government is niggardly in any sense in its recognition of vessels of war.

That of all nations the Chinese have the least reason to complain on that score, and Commander Hastings is to be congratulated upon his recent action.

That emongst the varied manipulations in the Share Market now being effected, by way of a last kick on the part of disappointed operators, Imuris stock has had a fair amount of attention.

That some influence has been at work on the other side of the world to discredit this enterprise has been clearly apparent for some time, and that some other influence has been working at this side of the world in harmony therewith, is also pretty evident.

That so long as weak holders and timid men exist, such tactics will succeed to a certain extent, although the neferious doings such as those which have marked the past few months in the local Share Market will be very much hampered in the future by the Share Regulation Bill.

That the telegraphic news, to the effect that assays had shown 40 to 50 oz. to the in this stock.

That great honour is due to the resident who took the trouble to obliterate the screeching wheelbarrow nuisance. That the poor barrow men themselves are

perhaps not very much to blame-indeed, I fancy Chinese regard horrible noises rather in the light of a luxury, -but the Magistrate was on the right track in

punishing the contractor severely. That ten-cents' worth of grease would make nearly every hand-barrow in the Colony run smoothly for a week.

That the chirpy wheel-barrow music is perhaps in China the oldest form of sustained screeching known to the Celestial our.

That it has been fondly cherished and carefully handed down from generation to generation along 'the corridors of time. there can be no question, and I should not be surprised to find a modern Soo Tung Po inditing poems to the memory of the lively strains of the past, now so rudely suppressed by the unpoetic unforeigner in Hongkong.

That I hear Praya Central, from the Bank to the Hotel Corner, is a perfect hotbed of public spirit.

That there even the P. W. D. and the Water and Drains Department are held in comparatively light esteem.

That not long ago a large firm there was summoned for obstruction, because bales of goods were found in the thoroughfare. That these said bales were deposited on the

top of a collection of granite slabs be-, longing to the Government. That the superincumbent bales formed the

ground for a fine, but the obstruction | not guilty. The following were the jury: | door, if anything results from these lying caused by the granite slabs was unnoticed.

That the public-spirited residents aforesaid, with the aid of the Police Magistrate.

have put right this anomaly. the constructive departments of the Gov-

ernment is responsible for this result. That the P.W.D. make the storm-drains, while the other drains are laid by the other Department, and the W. and D. seems to take the cake.

That owing to the wait-on-each-other policy, material gathers and blocks up the thoroughfare at one place, while one Department blocks it up with cuttings and big holes at other points.

That altogether the mathematical precision with which the public convenience is considered has been somewhat upset by a decision to the effect that the public take precedence of the two bribe Police Inspector J. W. Hausen. departments named.

That a similar decision by the Magistrate was met by our last Governor by remission of the fine (\$25-the fine this time correct not withstanding.

That perhaps an adequate and proper respect for the rights of the public will not spector took the man, along with the contracted range of subjects. be assured until direct proceedings are

ments referred to. for doing what he is told to do.

That the Surveyor General ought to pay That I bear our Acting Governor and party

Governor of that Colony. That some paltry objection has been taken who said the Inspector wanted \$5.

to the use of the steamer Fame for that That the Queen's Representative should be

hampered in his action in such a matter is pure hypercriticism of the paltriest type, and nuadulterated nonsense to

That the Governor makes but little use o the yacht built for his service, and he i certainly entitled to any ship belonging to the Government for such a trip, so long as she is not required for urgent work cleawhere.

That the crusade against officers of the Government using the launches of their | are worse than one. -Prick. departments for picnic purposes is one thing, the rights of the Governor are quite another thing.

brought life on board the Zabina Goudey under the public eye, reminded me some. what of the famous or infamous story of the U. O. Whitmore.

men who gave evidence were also badly published.

That if the man who is said to have jumped overboard had put in an appearance in might have been changed.

That as the case stands sittle can be said in opposition to the action of the Acting Attorney General and Police Magistrate. That the 'Shanghai-ing' of incapable men on board ships is the cause of most of those cases of ill-treatment.

to deal with the matters placed under its period of threatenings of slaughter. responsible.

the cart before the horse

itself has been carefully amended.

That the broadening of the constitution of | Chinese Anthorities. delay all the more ridiculous.

of something, is intelligible; but it is not quite clear whether it is the sanitation of Hongkong, or those entrusted with the sanitation of the place.

supposed to be. that the soldiery not the mob, was the engine of destruction, and the Hunan question is now more ticklish than ever. BROWNIE.

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before Sir James Russell, Chief Justice.)

Saturday, Sept. 19.

LARCENY. Chan Ahui was charged with stealing a box containing divers articles of clothing from a house on 20th August. He pleaded D. Castro, F. E. dos Remedios, E. A. da Silva, C. H. Thompson, F. X. de Jesus,

W. H. Young and H. J. Saunders. The Acting Attorney General (Hon. A. . Leach) said the evidence for the prosecution was that about 3 a.m. on 20th Aug. the prisoner was seen making his way out That the known harmony existing between of a house carrying a box. The person who saw him shouted 'Thief' and the prisoner dropped the box and ran. A Chiness constable heard the cry and seeing the prisoner running away pursued and arrested im. At the station the prisoner made his escape and jumped into the harbour, and

the constable followed and captured him. The prisoner said he stole two jackets. but unfortunately he was caught. did not know anything about the box. The lukong brought the box in order to make a better case and get promotion He

admitted two previous convictions. The jury unanimously found him guilty The sentence was three years' hard

ATTEMPTING TO BRIBE A POLICE INSPECTOR. Tang Wa, tsz-fa agent, and Wong Sau. servant, were charged with attempting to

The Acting Attorney General said on the 15th inst. Inspector Hanson's houseboy, the second prisoner, told him a man wanted to see him about the tsz-fa lottery. Be said the man would give \$5 a day to be allowed to carry on the lettery. The is \$50, with a promise of more to follow), Inspector saw the man in the Charge Room the action of the Bench being admittedly and a conversation took place, the effect of which was that the first prisoner offered the Inspector \$4 a day to be allowed to carry on his taz fa agency. The Inprisoner, who was present.

to another room on the pretence of taken against the Heads of the Depart- talking over the matter privately. The Inspector instructed two men to stand at the door and listen to what was said. That it is barely just to fine a contractor | Pretty much the same conversation took place in the hearing of the witnesses. The prisoner had previously been fined \$100 for | keeping a tsz-fa agency.

The first prisoner said the Sergeant's went to Macao the other day to visit the amah told him he could not start tez-fa unless he had the permission of the Inspector. She introduced him to the Inspector's boy

The jury found both prisoners guilty by a majority of 7 to 1, and recommended the second prisoner to the mercy of the Court. His Lordship said the offence was a serious one and sentenced the first prisoner to four months' imprisonment, the ascond defendant being sent to prison for 14 days. This concluded the sessions.

THE rese is red and the violet's blue, and so is a man whose rent is due. - Peck's Sun. Wir seldom makes a man laugh when he fust hears it, but when he cums tew think ov it it often duz. - Jush Billings.

live over again is reminded that two failures ADAMS-Well, Jones, been getting drunk again? Jones (angrily)-That's my business. Adams (pleasantly)-So I understand. - Life's Calendar.

CANTON. THE ANTI-FOREIGN PERLING. (From a Correspondent.)

Canton, September 18. The Provincial Examinations terminated That in the latter case one of the vic- this morning, and the students left the time succumbed under the brutal treat. Examination Hall about daylight. They | Foreigner, Mr C. W. Mason, at Chinkiang, ment dealt out to the crew; but it is appear to have conducted themselves fairly a different matter in the Z. Goudey we'l during the two or three weeks. A few case; the missing man appears to have more days will see them scattered over the been the only one alleged to have been province, where they will have to wait

ill-treated, while others of the Whitmore patiently until the results are known and It would afford much pleasure if as good an account could be given of the people of Canton as of the students, but Innother the witness-box, the aspect of the case wave of anti-foreign feeling appears to be Tising. In walking through the streets one hears the cries of 'ta, 'ta, or shat, shat, beat, or kill, repeated with a frequency and animosity that is not altogether sooth ing. These threats, many of them empty, and not worthy of notice or remark, have been indulged in ever since the Franco-That the old story of the inad-quacy of the | Chinese war. For a time there is compameans possessed by the Sanitary Board | rative quiet, and then again we have care, has again been told by Mr Francis. present there may be some explanation, as That it seems to be a very sensible view to some of the Chinese are enquiring in their take, that if responsibility be thrown on innocence. Why are all the Western counthe Board by law, means should be given tries going to war with us?' Anyhow we by Government to meet and overtake think something might be done to mitigate our to return to Shanghai immediately. those duties for which the Board is this nuisance which at times becomes al most intelerable. One gentleman who has ton, ought to help to reassure investors | That to easy that the Board was not respon- | spent many years in China, and has had a sible because they had no means of deal of experience of various kinds, when meeting the responsibility is like putting | he goes into the streets, and is shouted after | bring him on here, for there was a rumour as above, takes down the name of the That the discussion showed how shame- street, and if pessible, the mark of the fully inadequate are the means of shop, (if the offender happens to be in carrying out the law, although the law shop,) and reports the matter to his Cousul, who represents the case to the the Board is a long-promised concession | done by all, and the Consuls could send in to popular representation, and the fram- a weekly list of offenders, or shops where ing of the Health Ordinance makes the they were employed, I venture to think we should hear less thun we do of these of-That members of the Board should vote | fensive greetings. In many cases a little | board the Customs cruiser Ling Fenga against resolutions framed to obtain the information would work a cure. It is almost means to carry out the law, is passing incredible how ignorant the people are, on board. The greatest reticence is preeven the Editors of native new papers. As That Dr Cantlie should say he was ashamed | proof of this ignorance accept the following. 1. The native authorities have been making enquiries as to the number, nature and situation of Mission buildings, (chapels, That the details of the Ichang Riots render I these investigations, the foreigner is told the situation more serious than it was is that means may be adopted for their prosympathetic and unmusical soul of the That the evidence appears to be conclusive then sent off and they rell the school

schools, hospitals, houses). The causes of his health about a fortnight ago, and tection. A number of yamen runners are could not find out. The sir in Chinking masters, school-mistresses, preachers &c., about the business. that the Emperor is about to have all the places pulled down, and the foreigners driven out. A squeeze is attempted, or distracting rummers circulated. The most charitable construction to put upon the conduct of these runners is that they have been left to guess the reason for their being despatched on such errands, and the wish heing father to the thought, they indulge foreign riots in China rests with the official in these false statements. If such charitable constructions be the correct ones then

2. Many of the people still believe that because foreigners are employed by the Chinese Government in its Custom service that therefore the Customs I clong to foreign countries, and so much ill-will is cherished towards the Customs and all the employees. 3. The ignorance of Editors of native

the authorities are culpable, and ought to

be informed that the guilt will lie at their

when a native paper in Cauton spoke Sir John Walsham as the 'Real' TE Consul in contradistinction to an Acting Con-We are not sure whether the paper question is under the patronage of foreigners in Hongkong or Canton, or under foreign patronage at all or not. in any case such ignorance, if it ignorance, is inexcusable, and if it be method of showing contempt for foreigners then it is highly reprehensible. We regret

articles have appeared in the said paper. The question arises what can be done to isseminate correct information. Some of the missionaries try to do it in their preaching halls, addressing the people for a ninutes on current events, others think preaching rooms not established for such purposes, and confine themselves therefore to what is regarded as a higher but more

A good deal can be done by the authorrities in issuing proclamations and by the native newspapers.

We should be glad to see a hall erected i

or rented in some convenient place by a prisoners were then arrested. The first society formed of Chinese and Europeans in which addresses could be given by Chinese and Europeans on various topics, theological or religious topics as such excepted. A place something like one of the sanction of authoritative opinion. new theatres in Canton engaged by such a Bociety, a kind of seconlar, mutual improve- 皇朝經世文續編 Bome account ment Society, under the patronage of the Vicercy, the Consuls, Commissioners &c., might prove a very useful means of disseminating valuable inf rmation. Lectures in Mandarin or Cantonese might be given, Dr Edkins quotes from the paper of a perhaps magic lantern exhibitions &c. &c. The whole to be supported by voluntary sion, but that paper does not afford a fair subscriptions, as the Canton Missionary hospital is. What the people want is c rrect information, and any means that which are published in Shanghai in 32 would circulate that information should be vols.; it first appeared in 1888 and is anwelcomed. I hear that the permicious and parently printed from upstal type. It is a THE man who wishes he had his life to lying literature that has created such tion of public documents published many trouble in the North is being secretly cir- years ago under a similar hame. The culated again in Canton, but it is difficult to get hold of any of the pamphlets. If it is being circulated, you may be prepared to A 1 who is said to be occupying receive come news one of these fine days.

THE TROUBLE IN THE NORTH. ARREST OF A FOREIGN OUSTOMS

The Shanghai Mercury of Tuesday last. 15th inst., says :- This afternoon the most sensational rumours were corrent in the Settlement about the alleged arrest of a for complicity with the Kolao-whei. The authorities of course are keeping the matthere is a certain amount of truth in the | 文王部 formerly Governor of Hunau, stories, wild and improbable as they appear ! confirmation received up to the present of speaking of the works as invaduable, is writthe alleged discovery of some 25 pounds of dynamite among the effects of the ten by Yu Yuch in sometime Literary suspected person, the details to hand are Chancellor of the province of Honan, who the past few days, and saying what the one and two thousand documents given, bearthings are of which he is accused. Mr ing on a variety of subjects such as Educato have been transferred to Peking shortly. Leadings. The most objectionable pasthe day of his arrival Mr Mason had an in- under foreign dominion. The terms terview with Mr Bredon, the Shanghai Commissioner, about the arms seized, barbarian' and # 'unsiv lise t' transpired Mr Mason left Shanghai the same day, for his post in Chinkinng, giving Mr Bredon his word of hon-On his arrival at Chinkiang Mr Mason was sent on board H. B. M 's gun-boat Redpole. where he remained till be was secretly a I taken on board the Anshin Maru last night it being circulated through the port that it was either the Kianaf o or Sual that was to current that the Chinese meant to attempt a rescue. It was while searching for papers among his effects that the authoria ties at Chinking discovered the explogives. He was brought down to Shaoghai toers. The captain of the trishin Maru received instructions, when starting, to be propa ed for an attack, and in consequence lookled all the firearms he had on board the charges not being taken out till Mr Mason left the ship, which he did, as soon as the Anshin Maru came to her moorings. in a Customs cruiser, going a raight on which was moored to a buoy close to the Caroline. Mr Mason has since been kept served by the authorities about the whole matter. A passenger who came down in the Krauaf o from Chinkiang to-dov sends us the following: - On the arrival of the Ful wo at Chinking on the night, of the 13th inst., Mr Ma on of the L. M. Customs, who had gone away for the benefit of turned from Hongkoog in the Chiyuen on Saturday, was sent straight on board the Redpole, whether under arrest or not l was full of rumours, but the greatest reticence was preserved by those who know

THE ANTI-FOREIGN OUT-BREAK N CHINA

THE RIOTS IN CHINA. WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THEM? 'F' writes in the N.-C Daily News :---It has been frequently stated of late that the real responsibility for the recent antiliterary classes and not with people. On the other hand, the officials themselves would throw the responsibility courely on the Ko-lao and other secret. a cicties, and would represent themselves as being altogether in ocent of any desire to molest and injure foreigners. Dr. John has called the attention of readers of the N.-U. Daily News to an important and semi-official publication that has a very considerable circulation in China at the present time. A few quotations from this book may perhaps throw some light on this question of 'Who is responsible?; and if wo admit the principle that the man who sets fire to a house is to be held accountable for all consequences resulting from his action. even though he was not present when the newspapers was evidenced the other day filmes obtained complete mastery over the building and when the worst mischief done, then we must maintain that the official and governing classes of China are accountable both for the recent outbreaks and also for other earlier attacks on foreig ners and foreign property, and that they must not be allowed now to pose as innocent men and as the champions of peace and order For several years, outrageous charg a against foreigners and especially against the Roman Catholic Missionaries a have been circulating in China with the cognisance, and even with the imprimatur. of some of the highest mandarins in the Empire. The authors of the blasphemous this matter, as many fair and commendable and obscene Hunan placards which have now become so notorious, have really done little more than put into a popular dress statements and charges which appear in books that have been described, more or less accurately, as Chinese Blue Books. and in documents published side side with memorials to the throne from thing and busy themselves in disturbing such men as Tsêng Kuo-fan, Tso Tsungeverything. We will surround them and trang, Chang Chilitung, Li Hung-chang, P'ông Yu lin. Shên Pao-chông, Ting Jihchang, and other officials of the very highest standing. A collection of State papers nublished in England bearing the names of

> reflected on their less celebrated associates and the whole work is apt to be regarded as stamped in every part with the highest of them will be found in a paper by the Rev. Timothy Richard published in the 'Records of the Missionary Conference held at Shaughai in 189), pp. 407-410. Another reference to them will be found in a paper by Dr Edkins on p. 572 of the same book. writer on whose mind foreign literature seems to have made a favourable impresspecimen of the tone adopted by the instority of the writers who deal with foreign matters. The entire work consists of 120 books editor of this more modern work is a Kinneso man named Koh Shi-siun I a high position now in the Haulin Yuen at

the Duke of Argyll, Lords Salisbury

Ripon, Beaconsfield, Dufferin, Selborne,

Granville, Coloridge, Hartington and

Smith and other illustrious statesmen

would not carry more weight amougst

Englishmen than the collection of papers

now under consideration carries in China.

In such a collection the lustre of the names

Mesers. Gindstone, Go chen, W.

into English many of the things which Koh | so. Shi-sinn says of the Roman Catholics. The

entire collection of documents boars on its of a possible conflict between China and is, by receiving bush money) and say these ter very quiet, but upon enquiry we find title page the name of Wang Wên-shao foreign Powers which might end in the methods of refining silver are all right. and it may be said to be published under at first eight; and though there has been no his patronage. A complimentary preface sufficient to justify us in giving the follow- also himself is the author of several parers ing particulars of his movements within in the book. Altogether there are between Mason is a fourth-class Assistant A, in the | tion, Principles of Government, Naval and I.M.C., to which position he has but re- Military Affairs, etc. The last twenty books one great and clear result of China being cently been promoted, and was we believe | are devoted to foreign affairs under various He left Chinking about a fortnight ago, larges occur in papers that treat of missious, ostonsibly for a month's trip to Korea, but, I but other parts are exceedingly objectioninstead of making that journey he went to able, and it is evident that no small amount many inconveniences for the people of Japan and afterwards down South and of the ill-will which missionaries awaken is came up to Shanghai from Hongkong on | due to the fact that they are supposed to be Saturday in the Chiquen, the vessel upon | working for a political end. using religion which the seizure of arms was made. On to cover their real design of bringing China which were consigned to Mr Mason, constantly applied to foreigners; even the torm demon' appears sometimes and the foreigner regardless of danger.' that in a memorial addressed to the throne. Thus in a document contained in Book 191 the bent of this writer's mind. He hates but since he is quoted with approval in the written by Liu Yun-ko **知過河** s metime Governor of Chekrang, the word villain. He has more to say in abuse of barbarian is that regularly employed to both, but the passages already translated he makes are virtually charges of yesterday describe the foreigner though he also apeaks of opening marts or carrying on trade with the 'demons.' The whole tone

to the throne anent the affairs of the barbarians' from Yin Chao-yung 北籍殷 member of the Hanlis Ynen But to pass from generalities to partito day, accompanied by two Customs offi- cular statements, the following passage from a document in Book 104 by Talang Tun-fuh 將 沒 復 is an example of wild, to the orphanege at Kinkiang. Rumour entered the sect with a view to testing the reckless writing which cannot but have a was busy in describing what was to be done | truth of what he had been told of their most injurious influence on people who re- with them when they got there. The minds | doings. He pretended not to cat for several gard it as the utterance of a serious politi- of the Wasueh people were wrought up n | days. The priest being informed (that he ments which are here given, filtering practised by the Romanists on the children his hand. Just as he was about to take through the scholars and gentry of any whom they profess to befriend; hints out his eyes, up jumped the man and seizparticular district into the minds of the were thrown out that the bungalows of the ling the knife and knocking down the priest common people, and we have at once all Wesleyan Mission on the hills opposite to the fled away. It is said, he continues. the elements necessary for an anti-foreign | Wusuch were a sort of kitchen where babies | that from 10 | cattles of western lead 8 oz. riot and for an attempt to expel the were boiled, and at last all this wild talk (8 catties) of silver may be extracted; while foreigner. This Tsiang Tun-ful was, I produced its natural result. An assault | the remaining 92 cattles can be sold to nav believe, a Hunan man and another mem- was made on the foreigners, the only men the original cost, but this silver can only

tions of China with foreign countries and

on the development of the mineral and

of this paper is thoroughly anti-foreign.

The same book contains a secret memorial

other resources of the Chinese Empire. and he addresses himself in reply to Sir Thomas Wade. After some introductory observations he says: Foreigners like to come to China; the Chinese do not desire to go to foreign lands. In this the feelings of the Chinese and of foreigners are differout. In the matter of trading and making profit for the support of oneself and one's family the feelings of the Chinese and of foreigners are exactly alike. But those who come from Western lands to trade with. us all do so that they may get some profit spring from the fountain of official maligniout of us, and snatch from us the means of gain. This is all according to treaty: but Western plans. What are the Chinese going to depend on (by and by) for support? brought against the Roman Catholics be-It is said that in ten years the treaties are to be altered. Your Excellencies say that foreigners will ask for other things and will get them, and they will go on asking till they get all they want. If one examines this matter calmly (it appears that) what hey want, is what we Chinese cannot grant, and that is the plain truth. China from north to south and from east to west is to have foreign railways and carriage Christian book entitled 中西紀事 the rivers filled up just as they please. quotation from the same source, with about | Service. When they are allowed to do so they like, two pages of supplementary information by then they will be happy. The myriads of the editor. the Chinese people are to serve them, the I pass over everything in these books millions of Chinese wealth are to go into that may be said to be merely hostile crititheir treasuries, the countless acres of China | cism of the historic facts on which Chriswith its houses and fields are to pay them tranity is based, or of the doctrines which taxes, all fish, fiesh, and fowl are to obey it teaches. There is plenty of anti-Christian their imperious voice, and are to delight matter in the collection which is vulgar, Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, their eyes and ears by reason of their | coarse and ignorant. The facts of the Gos. | West Point. abundance. Foreigners must take every- pel story are misrepresented and its docthing, and overcome everything, and noth- trines are travestied. But of that nothing ing short of that will do. But if it were need be said now. Many of the objections only one ten-thousandth part of this that | which are urged against Christianity are you wanted you can't have it. We the as old as Christianity itself and have been Chinese people will rise en masse and thrust | made again and again in other lands. We OPIUM-New Patna, cash ... 500 our swords into the foreigners' bollies. Wealth, goods, minerals and treasure, on Christianity but assaults made on life western people know how to love, and property. In my previous paper I but they do not know what is detestable. | pointed out that the Chinese hatred of These things (i.e. ill gotten wealth) must be called a poison in the system and a cancer reaching to the bone. Into our lands and missionary. A missionary friend of mine houses and fields foreigners can come, but they will not leave them. They will be driven forward and taken in nets and traps and pitfulls." They trifle with every-

a, and at every point they will find trou-And why all this? Because they laws of Heaven and only regard force, Do not be astonished. Your Excellency only sees the present taugible gain sujoyed used to vent itself upon him. by foreigners and you do not know the unseen loss which is coming on them at another time or how great it will be. they wish to be li e the beauts. But the The full title of these Blue Books is missionaries use all sorts of fo ligh and wrong methods to make converts and after all only get hold of coolies, country women, and ignorant people, and even these only outwardly yield assent; when the mission-

> and their ancestors. Even Buddhism and Taoism are incomparably superior to Christianity.

Paking. The foulest things in the suddenly springs up our Christians appear not given to the priest, or if the friends of book appear to be from his pen. If like a cloud and with one consent rebel the deceased will not submit to the enin England any 'lewd fellow of the baser against their rulers. What a calamity to abrouding process, they are said to rebut sort' should commit to print such vile and | China! The Chinese know it and there- against the religion and a number of people filthy tatements as this accomplished Chi- fore are the more unwilling to become go to the house and insult them in a hundred nese scholar has done, both he and his Christians, and even though the authoritie, ways, while they demand that the four publisher would be liable to find themselves | did not forbid men to become Christians | taels shall be refunded with interest. | Poor in gool. It would be impossible to translate | they would themselves tell others not to do | people are taken in this way and fall into

disintegration of the Empire. The passing They pay court to them too, and speak of Chinese writer says, be far from a gain to priest is resident he makes friends with western countries. "Who is it,' he asks, the officials and they send presents to one although they do not want it, there is the have called the k'en toh [is of a most Emperor and there are the Emperor's commands to his ministors to negotiate treaties with foreign ambassadors, and no one in the Empire dares to disobey, but this is under the rule of an absolute monarch. Suppose now the Emperor should at some future date issue a proclamation saying 'The treatice with foreign countries kave China. For myself I cannot decide (on their renewal), the people may decide the matter for themselves, the people would kwoh-t'u-chi A B a cf Wi-yuen. in that care promptly and energetically This book was published in 1844 and the with accumulated passion and deep hatred author is described by Mr Wylis as a memoppose the foreigner. At the news of ber of the Government who was bitterly. this proclamation even the little children opposed to foreign intercourse. It may would propare themselves and take up perhaps be said that he represents the ideas spear and cudgel and go forward against of foreigners held by the Chinese officials

what would be our fate if he could obtain

the desires of his heart. The outbreaks against foreigners this attacks on the Orphanages of the Roman Catholics. Even in Wusneh, where Messis. Argent and Green were murdered, the riot wrath seems to have been especially allowed to escape with their lives, and the Wade and Sir R bert Hart on the rela- | were looted and destroyed.

In view of these facts the contents of the Books, as far as they cear on the orphanage work of the missionaries, are worthy of length and breadth of every province (carspecial attention. The officials would find it very hard to deny that the sum and substance of all the anti-orphanage standers which produced such terrible results during the present summer are to be found these Blue Bloks. The talk of the teashops in Wusush was the echo of documents published with the authority of high officials. The stroams of popular fanaticism ty. This subject will require to be treated by itself. In the present paper I shall I fear we have not yet got to the end of content myself with showing what the Blue Books have to eay about other charges sides those that relate to orphanages.

in two chapters entitled: demoralisation of China,' and 'The ex- | Evensong at 6. pulsion of Christianity from Kiangei and Hunan.' The first of these two chapters seems to be made up of about 14 pages of quotation from an intensely antireads The mountains and the rivers of | Notes on China and the West, with nine pages | 6.30 P.M. The Holy Communion is admi-China, the natural barriers of the country, of additional matter from the pen of the are to be treated by f reigners accor ing to editor of the Blue Books himself. The heir will, the mountains to be levelled and second chapter has about seven pages of 7.30 A.M.; and on the 4th, at the Evening

have not now to consider assaults made the foreigner is directed against him as a foreigner, and only subordinately as a who visited one of the large towns in Hunan some time ago tells me that the words he heard everywhere were not "Here comes the man who wants to make us Christians," but " Here comes the man who wants to steal our trade." In many keep a look-out for them, and hem them parts of the interior the missionary is the only foreigner who is known, and therefore calumny spends itself in vilifying the disregard the feelings of humanity and the missionary work. When in the old Canton days the merchant was the only foreigner that was known, the anti-foreign feeling In the editorial addition to the chapter

on 'The gradual demoralisation of China' in the Blue Books we find the following Then comes a passage about missions, account of he Roman Catholics; When and about the superiority of Chinese tea- the priest receives a convert, the convert is ching to Christianity. In China, he says, said "to est the religion," Ca putof the more c lebrated writers is naturally people have not to be exhorted to follow ting down his name he receives four tacks n the teaching of the sages. Everybody, silver, He pastes up on his door a piece from the Emperor to the common people, of red paper on which is drawn a cross in all follow it as a matter of cour e unless the midst of an oval with an ewl, a hook, and a spear. Some say the God the Christians worship was torn to death, therefore they depict on their doors the instruments with which he was killed. On the 1st and 15th of each month men and women all assemble in their church and aries do not see them, they worship idols chant prayers with closed doors until evening, when they separate. In cases of sickness they do not use medicine, but one of the sectuses a needle and caustic. They But, he goes on, foreigners in wishing have no sense of shame in the medical their religion to spread in China use this treatment of women. When any of them pretext to cover another idea. The Chinese | dies the priest sends some one to enshroud do not believe, and they know it, but they the body. He drives away all the kindred have a plan. They do a little charity in of the deceased, and when every one has feeding the people, and by small acts of gone out he closes the door and the virtue impress the eye and the car and de- enshrouding takes place. When that is lude the people with talk about great hap. finished two plaisters are used to cover the piness and abundant rewards, and so they eyes of the corpse. It is then wrapped up deceive their hearts and transform their in a red cloth bag which is sawn up round inner being, till they are befooled so that | the neck and put into the coffin. It is said they cannot return to their former state. that they use this enshrouding process as Their converts regard neither gain nor loss, a blind for scooping out the eyes of the neither life nor death but what they are | dead, which are used in refining silver. told they simply follow. When there is no When the converts are alive they receive trouble in the Empire they act as soldiers four tacks with this object in view. Therelying in ambush, but when once trouble fore it when any Christian dies notice is

the trap, while the officials and literati Sir Robert Hart seems to have spoken | make a shameless profit out of them (that away of the Imperial power would, the them as "western scholars." Wherever a who to-day allows foreign trade and unother, and when there is any trouble the foreign missions? It is the Emperor, but officials do as he wishes and protect him. the people do not want it. However, therefore the sect grows. A book they vicious character. It has pictured in it which are beautifully drawn, but though it has well executed representations of scenery and of a variety of things, all manner of abominations are found in it.' [Here follow some most obscene matters which cannot be translated into English). Then comes an account of the expulsion

after the reign of Kang Hei, Quotations are introduce | from the Hajof 50 years ago, and that it is not quite fair The above extracts show the temper and to quote him as if he had written yesterday, ... the foreigner, merchant and missionary the foreigner, merchant and missionary the same is a thiof and the other is a years ago, we may raply that the charges

of Roman Catholic missionaries from China

suffice to explain what he thinks of us and endorsed by present official opinion and sanction. These charges are amongst other things that the priests give their converts pills that befool them so entirely that they year have been specially characterised by lose the power of resisting the foreign teaching, that men and women alean together in the churches, and that the priests take out the eves of the dead. Some of was essentially an anti-orphanage riot al. the charges are both indescribably nesty though there was no orphanage in the place. | and indescribably silly, and cannot be Children were being brought in from | quoted in English. There was one man. country districts to Wusneb to be forwarded | this writer says, who under fulse colours We have only to imagine the scoti- with horrible tales of the barbarities was dead), came holding a small knife in of the Hanlin Yuen, but he has who could be found were publicly murder. be got by using Chinamen's eyes : the eyes dead now for some years. His ed, the women and children were barely of foreigners are of no avail for this purpose. Wei Yuen is candid enough to say awakened by some atterances of Sir Thomas houses and chapel of the Wesleyan Mission | this his remarks do not apply to the dolume of Roman Catholics in western lands. about which he has no information. He is only speaking of what goes on in China!

The editor proceeds to repeat a report he has heard that ' the priests go through the rying their doctrine) and if they find any who will not believe they get them in the Churches and secretly administer medicine to them either in tea or in a cake, after which their nature is completely changed. 'In the same way they cause women to become thoroughly licentious. But here again he becomes himself too vile in his language for us to follow him.

(To be continued.)

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :-

ST. John's Cathedral. - Parade Service at 8.30 A.M. (Holy Communion 2nd and In Book No. 111, of this collection, mis- 4th Sundays.) Matins at 11. Holy Comsions are dealt with at considerable length | munion at the 11 o'clock service on the The gradual lat, 3rd, and 5th Sundays in the month.

Union Church, Kennedy Road.-Minister Rev. G. H. Bondfield, -Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M.

St. Peter's Seamen's Church, Sailors' Home.—Service on Sunday, at 11 A.M. and nistered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 11 A.M.; on the 2nd and 5th at

Sr. JOSEPH'S CHUECH, Garden Road.-DAM. Mass and Sermon, 5.30 P.M. Evening Service. Benediction. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -- Sorvice in

the German language, by Rev. R. Gottachalk every Sunday, at 11 A.M., in the

Quotations

Hongkong, Sept. 19, 1891. New Benares, cash, 4774 New Malwa credit, 490/500 Allowance, Taels ... 16/48: Old Malwa, credit, 510/540 Allowance, Taels ...: 8/48 Persian, Oily, cash, 330/370 Allowance, Taels ... 16/80 Persian, Paper tied 270/350 Allowance, Tacls,... 16/96

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When Eve had led her lord away. And Cain had killed his brother, The stars and flowers, the piets say, Agreed with one another

To cheat the cunning tempter's art And teach the race its duty, By keeping on its wicked heart Their eyes of light and bounty.

A million sleepless lids, they way. Will be at least a warning, And so the flowers would watch by day, The stars from eve to morning.

On hill and prairio, field and lawn, Their dewy eyes upturning, The flowers still watch from reddening dawn Till western skies are burning.

Alas! each hour of daylight tells , A tale of shame so crushing That some turn white as sea bleached shells. And some are always blushing.

But when the patient stars look down On all their light discovers— The traiter's smiles, the murderer's frown, The lips of lying lovers

They try to shut their saddening eyes. And in the vain endeavor We see them twinkling in the skies And so they wink forever.

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IN THE DARK. O Thou who art my only Light. Thee do I follow through the night though home and hope are out of sight.

Firm to ust in Theo my spirit bath ; Thou knowest my path ! Although I cannot see Thy face, I feel the warmth of Thy embrace: Enfold me in the dangerous place, Where sin lies waiting to betray;

. Thou knowest my way. O Thou who seest me through and through-The thoughts I think, the deeds I do-Thou knowest I would to Thee be true ! O draw me closer to Thy side.

My Lord, my Guide! Thou knowest me, lovedst me in the past, Even when the tempter held me fast; Thy wanderer has come home at last, Never again from Thee to stray-

I know not what may yet unfold Beyond the morning's gates of gold-| This is my heaven-Thy hand to hold, Thy steps to follow through the night, My Life, my Light!

From Thee, my Way !

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- Lucy Larcom, in the Independent.

than to stop awake and be miserable. Yet dured him. "If I am spared," I said to my clouds. From it, as from sin, come a here is a woman who says, 'I can truthfully husband, "I will try it." I did so, and thousand pangs and pains to terment and say that for eighteen years I was never before I had taken the first bottle I found to crush helpless humanity. Seeing what free from pain for a single day." Mercy! think of that. What's wretched was quite well and strong. way to live! Yet I suppose millions of That is now ten years ago, and I have a friend to her kind was Mother Seigel! folk crawl along through the world in that been in good health ever since, taking just | Rip Van Winkle awoke from his nap to

nathise with her. work and sickly. It first I had a bad better than I did twenty years ago, and I taste in the mouth, poor appetite and an feel so strong that I can now dig potatoes uncomfortable feeling at my chest and sides, and do work with anyone, notwithstanding and often tried to obtain case by holding I am 65 years of age. my sides with my hands. After eating I My husband suffered terribly from had great pain; it was like a load at my rhoumstism and flux, and has found chest, and I could not bear it until I wonderful benefit from the same medicine.

vomited all my food up. I would be quite He says he would have been in the churchfaint from the want of food but was afraid | yard long ago but for Mother Seigel's to cat. It times I had bad attacks of Syrup. For myself I can say it saved my spasing which nearly doubled me up, and I life, and I wish others to know what it has LITTLE OF THE GUN: NOTHING | rambled up and down the house for hours | done for me and mine. (Signed), Mrs. together, for I could not even lie down. Of Esther Ayr, wife of William Ayr, of When Rip Van Winkle awoke from his course I lost a deal of sleep, and in a Thurlby, near Bourne, Lincolnshire." nap in the Catakill Mountains in America, morning was so weak and faint I scarcely In this brief and simple way Mrs Ayr he found himself an old man. His dog was knew how to get out of bed and dowa- tells a story the full details of which would Messra. Kelly & Walsh, Messra. Lane, Portland, Ore., San Frandead long ago, and nothing was left of his stairs. For righteen years I was never free fill a book. What hopes and fears! what Crawvord & Co., Hongkong; and Messre. gnn but the lock and barrel. And when from pain for a single day.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

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108,840,55 83 per cent. for 1889 Mar. 27, 91

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| he went back to the village of Falling | 'I saw doctor after doctor, and took a | she must have experienced. Yes, indeed. Water, where he used to live, nobody great quantity of medicine without finding None can even imagine it except those who recognised him. His wife, believing him any real relief. They would not say what belong to the great Sisterhood of Suffering. dead, bad married the innkeeper. Right was the cause of my ailments. I was fast Where she mentions one symptom of her enough too, for Rip had lain on the wasting away, and did not think I could disease she actually could have named a mountain-side, sound asleep, for twenty live much longer, when one day in 1881 my dezen. For her malady-the fgarfully husband heard from Mr Joseph Cooper, of common and fatal one, indigestron and A long snooze; but it sooms to me I'd Bourne, of a medicine called Mother dyspepsia-has as many signs and forms as rather be asleep half my life at a stretch Seigel's Curative Syrup, which he said had the mind has fancies, or the heavens, have

style. Not because they want to. Heavens, an occasional does of the syrup. After my find himself old; Mrs. Ayr awake from her no! But because they can't help it. This recovery the clergyman said to my long night of illness to find herself young was her situation, and an army of other husband, "Your missus gets about very again. Is not the moral plain enough for women (besides crowds of men) can sym- different to what she used to do," and he all the suffering millions in England? told him that Mother Seigel's Syrup had She says: 'For over twenty years I was wrought the ours. People tell me I look

hours of keen sorrow and deep darkness KELLY & WALSH, Shanghai.

Intrinsic value per Annual Yield to

share as per figures closing price, on and at date of last

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Dividend.

7.14

relief, and after taking four bottles more I her great discovery has accomplished in this and multitudes of like cases, how good

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CASH QUOTATIONS.

per share 178 % prem. 172 % prem.

DURING CURRENT WEEK.

Highest. | Lowest.

Hongkong, Saturday 4 p.m., 19th September, 1891.

Investors at | (For Time Bargains see memo. at foot).

Tls. 260, sellers

\$58, sellers

\$34, sellers

\$360, buyers

\$74, buyers

\$12, buyers

\$15, nom.

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|\$200, nom,

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848, buyers

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. Proposed Sailings from Hongkong, 1891.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Empress of India | Tuesday | 22nd Sept. Empress of Japan | Tuesday | 13th Oct. Empress of China | Tuesday | 10th Nov. TETHE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF INDIA. 5,900 tons, Captain O. P. MARSHALL, R. N. R., sailing at Noon on TUESDAY, the 22nd September, with Her Majesty's Mails. will proceed to VANCOUVER, vid SHANG-

HAMA. RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars). FROM HONGKONS, FIRST CLASS.

HAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO.

Prepaid Return cepted in transit through Marseilles for the Vancouver, Victoria, Es-) quimault, New West-Port Townsond, Seattle, } | 225| 338| 394 Tacoma, Wash Banff, Calgarry Atba 255 383 487 Winnipeg, Man 275 413 482 quired: Minneapolis, St. Paul, Du.) 285 428 499 Company's Office. lath Minn. Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, 1 St. Louis, Mo > 295 443 517 Milwaukee, W.s Detroit, Mich., Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, O Hamilton, London, Toron-305 458 534 to, Ont..... Buffalo, Ningara Falls N.Y. Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Montreal, Quebec, Que New York, Albany, Truy, Rochester, N.Y. Baltimore, Md., Philade-310 465 543 phia, Pittsburg, Pa..... Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass Portland Me..... Halifax, N.S., St. John, N.B. Liverpool, and London via 325 675 650 Liverpool Paris via Liverpool and London Havre, via Liverpool 335 Bremen.

2nd class steamer and 1st class on rail, and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steerag · Fares and Rates to other places, quoted on application.

embark Passeugers. Return Tickets. -- Time limit for prepaid and CARGO, will leave this port as above. return ticket is reckoned from date of issue calling at GENOA. to date of re-emuarking at Vancouver. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eug- p.m., on the 15th, Cargo will be received land, France, and Germany by all trans- on poard until 10 a.m., on the 26th, Specie Atlantic lines of steamers.

to Missionaries, members of the Naval, board; they must be loft at the Agendris Military, D. plumatic and Civil Services, to Office). Contents and Value of Packages European officials in service of China or are required. Japan, and to Government officials: CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued and carries a Doctor and Stewardess to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Ganadian and United States Points.

CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Vancouver, B.C. PARCELS must be sent to our office with

address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing. For Further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents. Hongland, September 2, 1891 Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Ship Company. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Oceanio......SATURDAY, Sept. 26. GaeticTuesday, October 20. Belgic THURSDAY, Nov. 12.

THE Steamship OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohsuas, on SAPURDAY, 26th Sept. 1891, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohania, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver,) Victoria, Esquimault New Westminster, Port Town > \$225.00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-

land, O. To Liverpool and London\$325.00 To Paris and Bremen \$345.00 To Havro and Hamburg......\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. Special rates (first class only) are granted to (Missionaries, members of the Naval

Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Paciic, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Railwoys. Return Tickots -First Class -Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be issued at following rates :---4 months\$337.50

Time is reclioned from date of issue date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for Unius Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply, to through fores from Ohina and Japan to Europe.

All Parcel Packages should be marked t address in full; and same will be receive lay the Company's Office until o p.m. the at provious to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Carge destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Col-

lector of Customs, San Francisco.... For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hengkong, September 4, 1891.

Agent

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NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE BATAVIA COLOMBO, PONDIOHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID.

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA:

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 23rd September; 1891, at Noon, the Company's S.S. YANGTSE, Commandant LARTIQUE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE. and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and so-

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Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the G. DE CHAMPEAUX

Hougkong, September 10, 1891. 1752 NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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